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Please mark the appropriate box with an „X“ or write your answer on the line.
Your answers are anonymous and confidential!

I am ☐ male or ☐ female.

I was born in _____ (name of country).

I am between ☐ 18 and 29 years old ☐ 30 and 39 years old ☐ 40 and 49 years old ☐ 50 and 60 years old ☐ over 60 years old

I was **raised** in the following **religious tradition**:

☐ Buddhism ☐ Christianity ☐ Hinduism ☐ Islam ☐ Shintoism ☐ none of these

I am of the following **descent**:

☐ Indian (India) ☐ Malaysian ☐ Chinese ☐ Japanese
☐ Arabian ☐ European ☐ African ☐ Other

I was mainly **raised** in ***this*** country (where I am now) ☐ yes ☐ no

I have **lived** in ***this*** country (where I am now): ☐ always **or** for _____ years.

I attended _____ years of school. Additionally, I have completed or I am currently attending:

☐ vocational (trade) school / apprenticeship ☐ college or university ☐ none of these

I have - or have had (even as a child) - a pet animal: ☐ yes ☐ no

For <u>each</u> of the statements on the next two pages, please indicate the extent of your agreement or disagreement by placing an „X“ in the appropriate column and box. <i>It is very important that you read the questions carefully and answer every question!</i> Here are two examples:	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
Example: Neighbours are a nuisance.				X	
Example: Ice cream is very good.	X				

For each of the statements below, please indicate the extent of your agreement or disagreement by placing an „X“ in the appropriate column and box.	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
<i>Please answer every question on both pages!</i>					
Conservation of nature (plants, animals, natural resources) is very important.					
Keeping animals as pets is useless.					
Cats are very likeable animals.					
Raising large numbers of animals for food (for meat or milk) outdoors (not in buildings or cages) is not acceptable.					
Animals have feelings, for example fear, joy, etc.					
All people should be vegetarian and not eat meat at all.					
Dogs make ideal pets.					
If an animal is killed for food, fur, leather, etc., it does not matter how this is done, painlessly or not.					
Keeping wild animals as pets at home is acceptable.					
Animals' feelings are different from those of people.					
Keeping animals captive in zoos should be forbidden.					
It is un acceptable that some people eat pork meat.					
Animals cannot think.					
Dogs are disgusting animals.					
In this country (where I am now), stray cats cause many problems.					
It is acceptable that some people eat the meat of endangered wild animals.					

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Animals can think like people					
It is quite acceptable that some people eat beef meat.					
Cats are disgusting animals.					
Keeping animals as pets brings many benefits to the person.					
Animals have the same feelings as people.					
Raising large numbers of animals for food (for meat or milk) indoors in farm buildings or cages is quite acceptable.					
In this country (where I am now), stray dogs are no problem.					
Dogs are very likeable animals.					
If an animal is suffering (pain or incurable disease) and cannot be cured, it should be killed painlessly.					
The cat is not an ideal pet.					
Eating dog or cat meat is un acceptable.					

In your opinion, how much time is needed daily to take care of these pet animals?	10 minutes	30 minutes	1 hour	2 hours	3 hours
cat					
dog					

Thank you very much for your help in this study and handing back your questionnaire to the place where you received it, or to the person who gave it to you!